



CENTRAL OHIO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION



Box 1561, Dublin, OH 43017

November 2015

When: 7 p.m., Nov. 18
Where: Oakstone Academy
939 S. State St., Westerville
Speaker: John Roberts
Topic: Columbus Civil War Tokens



Oldest and youngest

Otto Acker, 98 years young, and Turner B, 4 years old, pose next to Stephen Petty, club president. CONA now has 231 dues-paying members

November presentation

With the outbreak of the Civil War, small change began to disappear from circulation. This made daily trade difficult. Several expedient solutions were used to fill the void. One was the brief issuance of privately minted merchant's tokens. Stores in a number of cities and towns commissioned small cent sized tokens. Columbus had nine merchants that released pieces of this nature during the Civil War. There were a handful of manufacturers that produced these pieces and in addition to the store card die that identified the merchant, an array of stock reverse dies were also used. 29 distinct reverse dies were used to produce the Columbus tokens, and some of their differences are subtle while others are obvious. As the correct identification of any Columbus token depends on

understanding which exact reverse die is present, a study will aid the interested collector. - **John Roberts**

October presentation

Udo M. gave a tremendous presentation on challenge coins. Challenge coins, by some accounts, date back to World War I.

Now they're sold as souvenirs or given as personal mementoes. Bill Clinton was the first president to have a challenge coin. Dick Chaney was the first vice president to have one. White House military aides, the guys who carry the nuclear code football, give out challenge coins shaped like a football, Maroscher said.

Club auction

Send January lots to Steve B- sbarnet5@columbus.rr.com - by Jan. 12.

Columbus Coin Show

When: Nov. 15, Dec. 10- 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Where: Makoy Center, 5462 Center, Hilliard

September winners:

Door prizes: Vern W., Bill K. and Kevin T.

Quiz: Chris P.

50/50: Steve Petty's name was drawn, but Steve graciously said "roll it over."

Raffle

Dave Percy won the October prize.

There will be TWO draws this month. First lot is a 2005 Chief Justice John Marshall Proof Silver Dollar. Second lot is a PCGS MS-65 1954-S Washington Quarter. First draw gets choice. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5; OR (never tried this before).....13 tickets for \$10. Good luck! - **Gary**

Speakers

Nov. - John Roberts
Dec. - Christmas banquet - Dec. 16
Jan - Speakers needed for 2016

Cash bar: 6 p.m.

A Numismatic Noel

***When:** Wednesday, December 16, 2015*

***Where:** The Crowne Plaza, 600 Metro Place North, Dublin, OH 43017*

***Time:** Cash Bar 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. – Buffet Dinner 7:00 p.m.*

Soup Du Jour

Fresh Sliced Seasonal Fruits

Fresh Green Salad with Assorted Dressings

Kentucky Bourbon Steak

Seafood Newburg vol au Vent

Asiago Pretzel Chicken Breast

Signature Mashed Potatoes

Seasonal Vegetable

Rolls with Butter

Pecan Pie with Crème Fraiche

Red Velvet Cake

Carrot Cake

Coffee, Decaf, Hot Tea, Iced Tea, and Water

\$20.00 Members – \$40.00 Non-members

Join the club and save!!!!

Individual Membership - \$15.00 + dinner \$20.00 = \$35.00 (save \$5.00)

Family Membership - \$21.00

RSVP: Joan or sign up at the meetings by Dec. 11, 2015



Cona Auction List					
#	Description	Qty.	Grade	Min. Bid	Sell Price
November 2015 Club Auction					
1	2000 P & D Washington Quarters Satin Finish PCGS	2	MS68	open	
2	1970S Kennedy half heavy cameo proof	1	PROOF	\$6.00	
3	1913D type I Buffalo nickel no date	1	AG	open	
4	1947 Washington Quarter	1	BU	\$9.00	
5	1964 Washington Quarter in Littleton packaging	1	BU	\$3.00	
6	1998P & D Washington Quarters	2	BU	open	
7	11 Indian cents in Whitman folder 1889-1908	11	Circ	\$5.00	
8	bag of supplies coin tubes and Whitman plastic 2X2		used	open	
9	1928F red seal United States Note \$5.00	1	F	\$12.00	
10	1971 proof set no box nice cameo nickel	1	proof	\$2.00	
11	1961 Proof Set	1	Proof	\$24.00	
12	1981 mint set	1	BU	\$7.00	
13	New York City transportation tokens Brass	4	used	\$1.00	
14	check city National Bank Philadelphia with document stamp June 12, 1876 \$200.00	1	canceled	\$1.00	
15	check The bank of new York, Philadelphia PA Coates Brothers with document stamp March 2, 1899	1	canceled	\$1.00	
Tony Cass					
16	Lincolns 1916-1994	8	CIR-UNC	OPEN	
17	Steel 1943PDS in holder	3	UNC	OPEN	
18	Lincoln 2001-S Cameo	1	PROOF	OPEN	
19	Bust Dime 1833	1	AG	\$ 2.00	
20	Canada 1998 92.5 % Silver Comm 25c 1908-1998	1	CH UNC	\$ 3.00	
21	George Washington 2000 Liberia \$5.00	1	CH UNC	\$ 2.00	
22	Victoria 1886 IKM# 753 Farthing	1	AU	OPEN	
23	FRN 2003 A Error Over Inked Serial \$1.00	1	UNC	\$ 2.00	
24	Silver Certificate 1935 E Error Miscut Note \$1.00	1	AU	OPEN	
25	FRN 1969 D Star * Note \$1.00	1	CH UNC	OPEN	
26	FRN 1977 Star * Note \$1.00	1	CH UNC	\$ 2.00	
27	Canada Jan. 2, 1937 \$1.00	1	XF	\$ 2.00	
28	Selection of Foreign Coins various	6	CIR-UNC	OPEN	
29	Roosevelt Dime 1963-D	1	ANACS MS64	\$ 3.00	
30	IKE Dollar 1972-D	1	ICG MS64	\$ 3.00	
Gary He					
31	Bag O' Foreign Nice mix	50	Mix	\$7.00	
32	Confederate Reprint \$20 and \$500 Notes	2	Circ	\$3.00	
33	7 Different Full Date Buffalo Nickels, from 1920 on	7	Circ	\$2.00	
34	1961/62/63/64 Proof Nickels	4	Proof	\$3.00	
35	1947/47 ML Canada Cents	2	Circ	\$1.00	
36	2013-D Kennedy Half Dollar (Not issued for circulation)	1	BU	\$2.00	
37	Australia 1919/21/43 Half Cents, 1922 Cent	4	Circ	\$2.00	
38	1943/43-D Steel Cents	2	Circ	\$1.00	
39	1884 Indian Cent (Books \$7)	1	F	\$3.00	
40	1994-S Silver Proof Kennedy Half Dollar	1	Proof	\$6.00	
41	Great Britain 1874/89/98 Half Penny, 1890/1919 Penny	5	Circ	\$2.00	
42	Type 2 Clad Dime Planchet	1		\$2.00	
43	Type 2 LARGE CENT Planchet	1		\$4.00	
44	1952-D Washington Quarter	1	BU	\$4.00	

Blast from the past

An April 4, 1863, article from *The Ohio Statesman* takes an unkind look at a Camp Chase sutler.

The creep, the newspaper article says, lined his pockets with the hard-earned money of soldiers through the blessings of the “fat droppings of government patronage.”

A CAMP CHASE SUTLER A CANDIDATE FOR Mayor.—The *Journal* praises the liberality of its candidate for Mayor, and says he gave one hundred dollars to the fund for the relief of the families of soldiers. This liberal gentleman held for several months the position of Sutler of Camp Chase, and realized, we are informed, a net profit of some thousands of dollars by selling groceries, etc., to the soldiers at pretty strong prices. Having lined his pockets out of the earnings of the soldiers, this generous Sutler donates a hundred dollars as a charity to their families.

In consideration of his services to his country in so well managing the Sutlership at Camp Chase, and perhaps for other reasons of which the public are not made aware, the ex-Sutler was nominated for Mayor on the Abolition ticket. Whereupon, the *Journal* sounds the trumpet of his praise, and as it were, proclaims to all the world: “How great an unparalleled is the liberality of our candidate for Mayor, far beyond that of some other men who have not been blessed with the fat droppings of Government patronage!”